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In re the Application of

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Group Art Unit: 1733

Application No.: 09/347,525

Examiner: G. Knable

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Docket No.: 103778

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR THE LAMINATION OF BAND-SHAPED  
UNCURED RUBBER MATERIALS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the February 26, 2003 Office Action, the following is submitted:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**